

CRESCENT CITY NEWS

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL

Miss Evans went to Palatka on Tuesday for a shopping trip.

Rev. G. W. Stubbs visited Palatka this week.

Capt. John D. Pigue visited Palatka on Tuesday.

Mrs. L. Eaton has gone to Quitman, Ga., for an extended stay.

Clyde and Foster Watts, popular young men here, have returned from a summer spent in North Carolina.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Hill of Hendersonville, N. C., have gone to Daytona for the winter.

Mayor and Mrs. T. C. Darby, who have spent the summer in the North Carolina's mountain section, returned home on Friday of last week.

Mrs. R. B. Bethel has purchased the Haskell house on Main street for a home, and last week moved into her new home.

Mrs. J. J. Horton is suffering with rheumatism at her home in Attleboro, and may not come to Crescent City this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Leavitt and child of Foxboro, Mass., arrived on Sunday and are occupying the L. Eaton house for the season.

Small growers can get their fruit packed at the Beach & Miller dock, and where they want to sell them will be buyers present to make them an f. o. b. offer for the fruit.

Miss Daisy Salls entertained a large party at her home on Holloway. The young people were dressed in fantastic robes and carried out the "spook" idea to perfection. Delightful refreshments were served.

The Misses Alma and Maudie Stubbins entertained the young people of the Methodist church at their home last week Friday. A large party was present and many interesting games played. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Capt. D. C. Warren of Maine, arrived last Sunday with Mrs. Warren and they are again at the Sprague House for the season. Capt. and Mrs. Warren were here last winter and made a lot of friends. They will be remembered as the pair who purchased the Libby place.

Miss Florence Johnson expects to leave her opening of The Little Gift Shop about the 15th inst. Miss Johnson is engaged in unpacking and arranging for display a large assortment of attractive articles for the shop which she purchased on a trip east this summer.

Considerable grapefruit has been forwarded from this place during the past two weeks, much of which was only partially colored, though it stood the acid test. Those in a position to give opinions say that this rush of immature fruit to the north is bound to bring on a slump in the market before very long.

Rev. Dr. C. I. Scofield, author and Bible lecturer, of Brooklyn, N. Y., has leased the home of Mrs. J. J. Horton, corner of Central avenue and Summit street, for the winter. Dr. and Mrs. Scofield will not come down until January, but their son and his family are expected any day now to take possession of the home.

The annual meeting of the board of trade will be held at the Auditorium next Monday night, when will occur the annual election of officers. It is hoped that there will be a large attendance of the members, and that any not now enrolled in the organization will make it a point to do so at the coming meeting.

The town council has rented the Borsen building on Market street for a city building. The council will hold its meetings in the new building and the mayor's court will be held there. The old room in the basement of the Auditorium is needed for school purposes, and really the city had no right to the room anyway.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gove write from Contesville, Pa., that they are on their way to Crescent City from Bristol, Vt., in their 7 passenger touring car. They have with them as guests for the trip Mr. Gove's mother, Mrs. S. H. Wilson of Summit, N. Y., Mrs. H. Wilson of Summit, N. Y., and Mr. Edwin Hill of Lincoln, Vt. They report delightful weather so far.

Col. and Mrs. G. T. Graham had as guests during a portion of last week Mrs. LeFevre and children and Mrs. Sallie Lee of DeLeon Springs, Mrs. Snurr of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. A. F. Lever and little daughter of Lexington, S. C., the latter the wife and daughter of Congressman Lever who is now speaking in the west in the interests of President Wilson's reelection.

Mr. Her F. Babers and Mrs. Mary I. Wilson, both of Crescent City, Florida, were quietly married in the Manse of Memorial Presbyterian church Thursday afternoon. The officiating minister was Dr. Barton B. Bigler, pastor of the church. Mr. Babers is to continue to reside at Mrs. Babers' home at Crescent City, where Mr. Babers owns a large orange grove.—St. Augustine Record.

Rev. R. S. Burris, for the past three years pastor of the Presbyterian church, will preach his farewell sermon next Sunday night. On Monday Mr. and Mrs. Burris will leave by train for Knoxville and Winston-Salem, Virginia, where he is to speak from thence he will go to his old home in Columbus, Ohio, for a short stay before sailing for China. He sails from San Francisco for China Dec. 22, in which country he is to devote his life to missionary work.

The young people of the Presbyterian church will meet for a social time in the chapel this (Friday) evening. The meeting is held under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor. Refreshments will be served and a real social time enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Mary I. Wilson and Mr. Her F. Babers were married at St. Augustine on Thursday of last week, Oct. 25th. They drove to the ancient city in an automobile, and after the ceremony took a little auto honeymoon, going to Jacksonville, where they attended the Maud Adams performance at the theater, and saw several points of interest. Mr. and Mrs. Babers arrived home on Sunday night. On Monday evening they were given a surprise shower at their home on North Prospect street.

The Southfield Bible Conference. As announced last season, the Southfield Bible Conference will be extended in time and definite courses of Bible study be presented. The time has been set to begin Feb. 20th, and continue to the end of March. There will be two sessions a day, at least, and a morning session extra as there may be demand. The teachers thus far engaged are:

Doctor C. I. Scofield, of New York, who will be present throughout and teach one hour each day. Dr. Scofield will aim to cover the entire New Testament in his course of lectures.

Mr. Charles Trumbull of Philadelphia, Editor of the Sunday School Times, which paper has over 100,000 subscribers.

Rev. George E. Guille, a Bible teacher of the Moody Bible Institute and author of splendid books of exposition.

Rev. Wm. J. Pettigill, Dean of the Philadelphia School of the Bible and Editor of "Serving and Waiting," Mr. Pettigill was one of the teachers at the conference last season.

Rev. George H. Dowdell of New York, Sup't. of the old Fulton Street Navy Prayer Meeting and pastor in Brooklyn.

Rev. Lewis S. Chafer of New York, author and Bible teacher. Mr. Chafer has been closely connected with the conference from the first. Mrs. Chafer will also be present to assist in the service of prayer.

It is not the purpose of the directors to have all of these teachers present at one time; but at least one speaker will be present with Dr. Scofield all the time to take the second meeting of the day. General courses will be given and the work will be a strong Bible institute this season which, it is hoped, will become greater year by year.

The conference has never had a stronger list of teachers. These are all men of wide influence who propose in visiting Crescent City to give their very best to this Institute. It is hoped that many will be inclined to attend and that the citizens of Crescent City will plan both to attend and also to extend the notices generally. Printed matter will be available and a wide notice of the Institute should be given.

A new Estey reed organ has been purchased by the conference and there will be a full supply of the New Northfield Hymnal just published.

"Use Juba Self Rising Flour for delicious hot Biscuits—at all Grocers." 9-15-16.

Citrus Fruit will be Standardized. One of the greatest marketing problems which Florida citrus growers have will be solved if the action taken by the Citrus Seminar at the University of Florida, October 17, is carried out. Following a lecture by Leo B. Scott, Bureau of Plant Industry, in which he urged growers to standardize their varieties, a committee was appointed to select a few standard varieties and report on them to the meeting.

Mr. Scott said that instead of 40 or 50 varieties of citrus fruits there should be only a few of each kind. He said that a consumer at western markets had no assurance that he would get the kind of fruit he wanted when he bought Florida citrus fruits. He might buy an orange of good quality from a box and take another from the side of it and from the same box which would be the exact opposite. Now if the consumer obtained the poor quality fruit first he would naturally be prejudiced against Florida fruit.

The market likes something which it can depend on, and growers will do well to standardize their products. Fancy fruit should be fancy not only from a given grower's viewpoint but from the viewpoint of any man in the country.

The different grades of fruit should be standard for the whole country and not for the product of different groves. It is impossible to standardize grades when the varieties are as variable as the winds. Mr. Scott recommended that an early, a medium, a late and very late variety be chosen.

The committee which was selected to report on varieties is composed of D. W. Clark, Leesburg; S. H. Poole, Winter Haven; L. B. Skinner, Dunedin; H. H. Hume, Glen St. Mary; D. C. Gillett, Tampa. Mr. Scott and W. L. Floyd, professor of horticulture in the College of Agriculture will act as advisors. Oranges were the only fruits on which the committee reported. The varieties selected were: Parson Brown, Homosassa, Pineapple, Valencia and Lue Gim Gong. They decided that they did not have enough information for selecting varieties of other citrus fruits on such short notice. The Seminar adopted the varieties recommended by the committee.—Agricultural News Service.

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Citrus Crop Will be Estimated Quantitatively.

The citrus crop will be estimated quantitatively hereafter. This announcement was made by Nat C. Murray, statistician to the Bureau of Crop Estimate, in a speech before the Citrus Seminar at the University of Florida recently. Growers will welcome this change since they have never had an unbiased estimate of the number of boxes that the crop will make. The Bureau has formerly made its estimate in percentages. Private concerns have estimated the crop in boxes heretofore, but for the benefit of certain individuals.

The first estimate will be published in the November crop report. C. C. Hare, field agent for the Bureau in Florida, says that a special inquiry will be sent to reporters within the next few days. This will ask for the percentages of bearing trees which are oranges, grapefruit, limes and lemons; what percentage of the present citrus crop will probably be oranges, grapefruit, limes and lemons. An estimator of the average yield in boxes per tree and per acre and the percentage of a normal crop will be required. The total number of bearing trees from one year up and the percentages of the total which are oranges and grapefruit will be reported. The percentages of the various varieties and seedlings will be given so that an idea can be had of the most popular varieties.

Mr. Hare and Mr. Murray made a trip thru the south part of the state during the last few days of the seminar. Growers welcomed the news of the quantitative estimates and expressed their willingness to cooperate with the bureau in collecting the information.—Agricultural News Service.

Suffer From Indigestion Relieved. "Before taking Chamberlain's Tablets my husband suffered for several years from indigestion, causing him to have pains in the stomach and distress after eating. Chamberlain's Tablets relieved him of these spells 'right away,'" writes Mrs. Thomas Casey, Geneva, N. Y. Obtainable everywhere.

LAKE COMO NEWS. Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bratton of Cleveland, Ohio, are again occupying their winter home. Everyone is pleased to welcome them back.

Mr. and Mrs. John Woolley of East Pleasantville, N. Y., are again at home to their many friends at their cozy home. Every one is glad to welcome this good and hospitable couple.

Mrs. O. B. Robinson is home again after several months' visit in New York and New Jersey.

Joseph Heard is again with us after spending the summer with his children at Philadelphia, Pa. He is happy to be back, and we are happy to have him with us again.

John Haymart is working at Crescent City. We all miss him greatly.

Rev. W. T. Evans attended the Ministerial convention at Jacksonville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Davidson, Miss Lillian Skink and Mrs. E. F. Sullivan were visitors at Crescent City.

Mrs. D. E. Dusenberry is slowly improving from her recent attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Phebe Betts of Phoenix, N. Y., and Miss Susie Carson of Crosswell, Mich., are expected this week, and will occupy their home for the season. Every one is glad to see them again.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Sullivan are rejoicing over the birth of a little grandson, born to Mr. and Mrs. Lyon Chamberlain at Hoboken, N. J., Oct. 26th. Being born on its great-grandmother's birthday is quite an event.

Services were held at the M. E. church Sunday morning.

LETTER FROM Wm. F. ROGERO. To the Voters of Putnam County, Florida, Gentlemen:

I am confined to my bed in Dr. S. G. Worley's Sanitarium where I have been operated upon for appendicitis. It will be sometime before I will be able to return to my home. I am being given the best of medical attention and care and hope to get well real soon. I cannot make a canvass among the voters nor will I be able to present upon election day. I beg my good friends to remember that I am a Candidate for District Member of School Board, District Number One, and most respectfully solicit their support at the polls.

I can assure you that it is my purpose to give you careful and prompt attention in the duties of the office and to be guided solely in the performance of the same by always acting for the best interests of the public schools.

Thanking you for all favors extended me, I am, Yours sincerely, Wm. F. ROGERO, Candidate Member of School Board District Number One.

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Hub—The doctor says if I keep on working at this pace after money I shall be a wreck at forty-five. Wife—Never mind, dear; by that time we shall be able to afford it.—Boston Transcript.

AN AGED WOMAN Tells How Vinol Made Her Strong. In her eighty-second year Mrs. John Wickersham, of Russellville, Pa., says: "I was in a run-down, feeble condition and had lost flesh. A neighbor asked me to try Vinol, and after taking two bottles my strength returned; I am gaining in flesh, it has built up my health and I am feeling fine for a woman of my age, so I get around and do my housework."

The reason Vinol was so successful in Mrs. Wickersham's case was because it contains the very elements needed to build her up. Ackerman-Stewart Drug Co., Palatka.

Florida East Coast R'y FLAGLER SYSTEM

Table with columns for dates (21, 27, 28, 29) and destinations (Jacksonville, St. Augustine, East Palatka, Palatka, Bunnell, Ormond, Daytona, Port Orange, New Smyrna, Oak Hill, Titusville, City Point, Cocoa, Rockledge, Eau Gallie, Melbourne, Fort Pierce, Jensen, Stuart, Long Key, W. Palm Beach, Lake Worth, Delray, Jupiter, Dania, Hallandale, Miami, Homestead, Florida City, Key West, Havana). It lists train numbers and departure times.

Additional Local Service Between West Palm Beach and Florida City. Table with columns for dates (41, 43, 45) and destinations (West Palm Beach, Boynton, Delray, Fort Lauderdale, Miami, Homestead, Florida City).

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

THE STANDARD RAILROAD OF THE SOUTH. Schedule Effective May 18th, 1916.

THROUGH TRAINS TO NEW YORK, DAILY.

Table with columns for train numbers (No. 82, No. 86, No. 80) and destinations (Lv. Jacksonville, Ar. Savannah, Ar. Richmond, Ar. Washington, Ar. Baltimore, Ar. Philadelphia, Ar. New York).

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WEDDED BY PROXY. 1,200 Miles Apart, Telegraph Used to Join Couple.

Over 1,200 miles of telegraph wire and performed through proxies in the persons of two telegraph operators. Private Byron J. Lihart, B company, Second Missouri Infantry, stationed at Laredo, Tex., and Miss Ruby Swartz, in her home town of Butler, Mo., were married according to the rites of the Episcopal church.

Preliminary to the wedding the officiating clergymen in Laredo and Butler entered into a telegraphic conversation to ascertain the official standing of each other in the church and their authority to perform the ceremony.

CANAL EARNINGS. Tolls Total \$7,411,682—Over 2,000 Ships Passed Through.

At the end of the first two years operation of the Panama canal financial survey shows that tolls amounted to \$7,411,682, though the waterway was closed half a year by slides.

In the two years period a total of 2,097 ships passed through the canal and last July the aggregate length of the 139 ships passing through was 10.2 statute miles. The heaviest draft vessel was the Ohion, drawing 29 feet, 4 inches.

Piloted ill-Fated Maine. Capt. John T. Bowes, a Mississippi river steamboat pilot for thirty-three years, and who took the battleship Maine from New Orleans harbor and across the bar at the mouth of the river on her last fateful voyage to Havana in 1898, died at his home in New Orleans. He was 69 years old.

Buying Drinks Broke Him. Fred Rautner, saloon man, of Chicago, is "broke." He says it is because he was a good scout. According to figures submitted in Bankruptcy court, he bought 62,495 highballs, gin fizzes and other drinks for friends. He owes \$19,000, it is said, and has assets of about \$6,000.

Eleven Victims in Hospital Fire. Six adults and five children at least lost their lives in a fire which destroyed St. Elizabeth hospital, Farmham, Quebec. The institution was managed by the Grey Nuns and comprised two buildings, one for hospital patients, the other a school for children.

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WILLINGTON PIANO FOR SALE—To be seen at home of Miss Bessie Williams, Crescent City. In use only \$175.00 as it stands. Address F. BACHE, Chattahoochee, Fla.

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